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# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## FORM 6-K

### REPORT OF FOREIGN ISSUER

PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 OF  
THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date: May 29, 2002

### AMATEK INDUSTRIES PTY. LIMITED

ACN 081 870 653  
(Registrant's Name)

6-8 Thomas Street,  
Chatswood, New South Wales 2067  
Australia  
(Registrant's Address)

Commission File Number 0-10502

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of  
Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

Form 20-F ☒

Form 40-F ☐

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this  
Form is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b)  
under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Yes ☐

No ☒

If "Yes" is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with  
Rule 12g3-2(b): 82-

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has  
duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorised.

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### **Amatek Sells US Pipe Manufacturer for US\$135 million**

Amatek Industries Pty Limited announced today that it has sold its interest in Choctaw Inc ("Choctaw") to Hanson PLC for a total price of US\$135 million.

Choctaw is a leading concrete and steel pipe and precast concrete drainage products manufacturer in the South-Central states of the US with operations in Tennessee, Mississippi, Louisiana, Alabama and Arkansas. Choctaw is headquartered in Memphis.

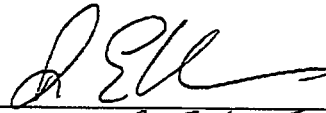
Commenting on the sale, Dr John Nolan, Chief Executive of Amatek, said "Choctaw is a high quality business that has developed under Amatek's ownership through a number of acquisitions and new investment in a number of its facilities. We believe that Choctaw will now make an excellent fit with, and will complement, Hanson's concrete pipe operations in the US."

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By:



Name: R. E. LUCE

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Date: 29 May 2002